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**VIA ECF**

Hon. Gary Stein, U.S.M.J.  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street, Courtroom 9A  
New York, New York 10007

**Re: *Tuteur, et al. v. Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.* (1:23-cv-03997-GS)**  
**Joint Status Update**

Dear Judge Stein:

My office represents Defendant Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc. in the above-referenced action. I submit this letter jointly with counsel for Plaintiffs as a status update pursuant to the status conference held on January 22, 2024.

Although a settlement has not yet been reached in this litigation, the parties inform the Court that progress has been made during the past month. As of the submission of this letter, the parties remain engaged in settlement negotiations and hope to soon reach agreement. The parties will remain mindful of the deadlines set forth in the Scheduling Order entered by the Court on February 14, 2024 and, in the absence of resolution, will continue with discovery efforts as needed to adhere to current discovery deadlines.

The parties will submit an additional status update on or before March 22, 2024.

Very truly yours,  
A handwritten signature in red ink, appearing to read 'Daniel M. Braude'.  
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